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1. Source reports that weapons and ammunition of Czech and German origin are being stored in the Yugoslav ports of Split and Zara for shipment to Palestine. The arms are believed to be adequate to equip 10,000 men and are said to include machine guns, mortars, ammunition and grenades. They allegedly were purchased by the International Brigade in Belgrade.
2. It is believed possible that the above-mentioned arms are a part of an arms gift granted by the Soviet Union to the Haganah. (23 April 1948.)

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